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Applicant:

Guente HERRMANN

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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

April 11, 2005

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia

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Supplementary to the previous Amendment and in connection with the interview with the Examiner, please amend the application as follows:

It is therefore respectfully submitted that claims 1 and 18 should also be considered as patentably distinguishing over the art and should also be allowed, together with other claims which depend on claim 1.

Reconsideration and allowance of the present application is most respectfully requested.

Should the Examiner require or consider it advisable that the specification, claims and/or drawings be further amended or corrected in formal respects in order to place this case in condition for final allowance, then it is respectfully requested that such amendments or corrections be carried out by Examiner's Amendment, and the case be passed to issue. Alternatively, should the Examiner feel that a personal discussion might be helpful in advancing this case to allowance, he is invited to telephone the undersigned (at 631-549-4700).

Respectfully submitted.

Michael J. Striker Attorney for Applicants Reg. No. 27233

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